THE GREAT CONVENTION.

Factions Preparing for the Struggle of To-day.

The National Committee-Threats to Depose Cameron Reconsidered-The Gains of the Blaine Men - Grant's Friends Firm and Confident-The Unit Rule to be Discarded-Party Caucusing.

The Grant Men Will Fight It Out. (Special Dispatch to THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN)

are occupied by a living, moving mass of people to-night. The city is one great of people to-night. The city is one great huzza—what for, those who are making a sagainst any other candidate or combination. The noise and confusion so doubt know, but it would puzzle an observer to understand. The Palmer house is the centre of attraction, and Palmer house is the centre of attraction, and claim they have about 400 votes. There are necessary to being made to a vast mulbut wiser counsels have prevailed. After and advising that it be done even if it should temporary chairman, but this poor privilege gains.

The Grant leaders have made a claim that even was denied them. The friends of Blaine, after approaching the chairman of the committee from all sides, found his rulings correct are assured, and the danger of defeat will be and his position impregnable. They enjoy passed. Friends of Sherman and Blaine, on the other hand, express equal confidence that what has been conceded to them and nothing more. Their battle has been fierce, but their victory is barren. It is rumored here to-night thrilling. Mr. Blaine's mon attempted to the convention for vice-president.

break the force of its utterances by eliminating from the resolution the indorsement of General Grant for nomination, but the effort General Grant for nomination, but the effort ganization of the convention. failed. The speech of Corporal Towner in reply to the effort of Boutelle, of Maine, to break the voteran line was a masterly piece of eloquence. It swept away the sophistry that had been thrown in to mislead the meeting as mere chaff, and the Grant resolution that was attached was carried five to one. The friends of Grant will enter the convention to-morrow full of hope and confidence. There

is not a shadow of weakening. A. M. C. Meeting of the National Committee.

CHICAGO, June 1 .- In the national com mittee the Grant party offered some sort of a compromise for the pending difficulty, and committees of conference from the rival parties were appointed to consider the question. After a two-hours' session this afternoon the committee adjourned. A member says the conclusions reached were that Camerou's regular delegations from Louisiana, Kansas, Utah and Illinois should be admitted to the temporary organization; that the contests in those states should be submitted to the committee on credentials, and that the unit rule should be enforced or not at the pleasure of the con-vention; that Conkling, Logan and Cameron have pledged themselves in no way to interfere in regard to the action of the convention respecting the unit rule.

The New York delegation held a secret

cauens to-day to discuss the question of stand-ing by the resolutions of the New York couvention, Senater Conkling presiding. A mo-tion was made that the chairman be instructed to cast the seventy as one vote. This was amended, authorizing the chairman to get the vote of each delegate and report the same to

Mr. Coukling said that if, as chairman of the delegation, fifty of them instructed him to cast the entire vote for Grant he would do it, and then if the other twenty wanted to ap-peal to the convention they might do so, and the roll-call of the states would be made. The motion to sustain the unit rule was finally passed by a vote of 45 to 23.

The National Veteran Clubs.

CHICAGO, June 1.—At the convention of the National Union Veteran clubs, at Haverley's theatre to-day, twenty-six states were represented. General S. L. Woodford was elected chairman. A resolution approving the nomi-nation of General Grant provoked great confusion, in which and on the rice race vote which followed the audience joined. No definite action on the resolution has yet been

Mr. Boutelle, of Maine, Congressman Burroughs and others opposed the resolution do claring that Grang was the choice of the meeting for the presidency as unwise and tending to divide the republican pirty.

After a long discussion there was a clese vote, which the chairman decided to be in

favor of the resolution.

The Different Factions Caucusing.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Since the adjournment of the national committee there has been an apparent lull in the political excitement, the streets to-night being much quieter than last night, although the crowds in the hotel corridors are greater than over. Few delegates are seen stirring about, the majority being engaged in secret caucuses, where the manaengaged to secret caucuses, where the managers of the different candidates are trying to figure up their strength in the convention to-morrow and devia fa means to solidify it. Throughout the farmors were current that a protest against the counting of Pennsylvania's vote said for Grant, similar to that signed by part of the New York delegation was being constituted and versions. gation, was being circulated and receiving no signatures. Pennsylvania delegates who were questioned a reference to this rumor pro-fessed ignorables of any such protest. In the caucus of the delegation, however, several

Hamilton Disston, fourth district; David Morat, third district; J. E. Loug, twenty-fifth district; John Hayes, sineteenth district; Alexauder Farnham, sixteenth district; Alexauder Farnham, sixteenth district; Alexauder Farnham, sixteenth district; O. D. Kinney and C. C. Goodwin, fifteenth district; W. B. Waddell and Amos Gartside, sixth district; H. Borth, tenth district; M. L. Brosins, twentieth district; Goneral Grant is nominated, and ought he not to be compelled to resign at once for his treasonable words?"

B. F. Wagenseller, eighteenth district; S. R. Dapin, eightle district; C. N. Taylor, seventh district; W. A. M. Grier and Samuel Y. Thompson, eleventh district, and Irving P. Wagner, seventh district, and Ir

CHICAGO, June 1.

The streets around all the principal hotels and every inch of corridor and stair space ballot, it is rumored the Grant leaders have decided to throw the votes which they control, some 300 to 325, for Edmunds. The claim is made that this would nominate Edmunds upon his arrival be will demand, in positive

Grant speeches are being made to a vast mul-titude of people. It was announced yesterday that Senator Cameron was to be deposed as found to have no more foundation than a telechairman of the national committee to-day, gram which he is said to have sent a friend beleaguering the committee during the entire session to-day for some advantages, the friends of Blaine have counted up their gains by states, for many of the states have decided and find scored to their credit Senator Hoar (who will never vote for Blaine) as tempo-General Grant. If the unit rule is abolished who will never vote for Blaine) as temporary chairman. This is the scalp they have taken. They attempted to overturn the unit rule, and were defeated; they sought to make unit rule, and were defeated; they sought to make unit rule, and were defeated; they sought to make unit rule and were defeated; they sought to make unit rule is abolished the opponents of Grant claim the individual vote would make a majority against him of over 100. The Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 35 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegations the Grant managers are canvassing among the southern delegates and claim the opponents of Grant claim the individual vote would make a majority against him of over 100. The Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 35 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegations took a vote of 35 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 35 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 35 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 35 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 25 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 25 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the New York and Pennsylvania delegation took a vote of 25 to 21 over Benne. To offise the breaks in the opponents of Grant claim the individual vote would make a majority against him of over 100.

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victory is barren. It is rumored here to-night that the Iudiana delegation will present and urge the name of Ben Harrison for president. There is no doubt a flank movement in the Blaine column. The friends of Graut are in no degree appalled or disturbed by the action of the New York protestants. It is safer for them to violate their faith to their state on the floor of the convention. The list will be diminished when the voting begins. The scene at the voteran convention to-day was scene at the voteran convention to-day was gates to present the name of Senator Bruce in

Grant Caucus-His Friends Firm.

Cant Caucus—His Friends Firm.

Chicago, June 1.—The Grant caucus lasted until midnight. There were nearly 300 delegates in the room. John Weutworth presided, Conkling made a powerful speech, setting forth the reasons why they should stand solid for Grant and not be frightened by a parcel of boys, as he characterized the supporters of the opposing candidates. He said all they need do was to be firm and Grant would be nominated. He then gave the reasons why Grant should be nominated. He was the strongest man; the Germans of Wisconsin, Ohio and New York were cager to support him; he would carry five southern states, and Conkling pledged that New York state would give firm a 40,000 majority, even if Seymour was nominated and backed by all of Tiden's influence.

I Logan also made a speech, courseling firmness and stating that Grant would be nominated and backed by all of Tiden's influence.

Maine Democratic Convention.

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The convention ratified the ondination of the president with the convention, Hon. Harris M. Plaisted Addressed the convention, Hon. Harris M. Plaisted Addressed the convention of the previous animority reports. The minority report favored a local-option liquor law. This created intense convention, Hon. Harris M. Plaisted the committed the majority and minority reports. The minority report favored a local-option liquor law. This created intense convention, Hon. Harris M. Plaisted the committed the majority and animority report favored a local-option liquor law. This created intense convention, Hon. Ha

nated on the second if not on the first ballot. The whole spirit of the meeting was to strengthen up any weak followers of Grant.

No second choice was mentioned.

The Blaine delegates also held a caucus They claim 300 on the first ballot, with the probability of subsequent gains. Ex-Secretary Boutwell admitted to-night that his count lett General Grant from forty to fifty short of a majority.

Hon, A. M. Clapp Interviewed. We ellp the following from the Chicago

Inter-Ocean of Monday : One of the coolest and most self-possessed men on the ground is the Hon. A. M. Clapp, delegate from the District of Columbia. Ho was found at the Atlantic hotel yesterday. He is a man of large stature, one who weighs every word and makes every sentence clearly

"I am for Grant," he remarked on inquiry,

"through and through."

One glance at his large form, drawn up to
its full height, his face of intense carnestness and dignity, was sufficient to suggest that his expression meant a large balance in favor of the popular candidate. Concerning the feelug among congressmen, he stated that the

ing among congressmen, he stated that the sentiment was divided among Grant, Sherman and Blaine, with odds for the first.

"They put themselves in line with the sentiment of their states and districta," he explained, "and accommodate themselves to the situation. Most of them are candidates for re-election," he added, with a knowing look. "As to General Grant's election, Mr. Clapp?" GRANT WILL BE ELECTED.

"Most emphatically he will be elected. I axpect his nomination. This is the most bitter fight I have ever known. I have been with the republican party since its birth, and have never known a time where so many thought they had a mission to destroy somebact of the The methods employed as the control of the thought they had a mission to destroy some-body else. The methods employed are un-usual, If Grant is nominated there will be no split, however—just a chipping off, as in 1872. The great body of people will vote for him, and he will bring in more extraneous strough than will be chipped off."

"Will he be able to obtain any electoral yetes in the south? You certainly live in a position for correct observation."

sition for correct observation."
"I am assured that General Grant cannot

only carry Virginia, North Carolina and Florida, but that they will be counted in for him. Others will be carried, but parhaps not be counted in. A delegate from Alabama told me that they hoped to carry and count in their state for Grant. Speaking of Grant and the colored men, the colored men know no ather candidate, nor care for any one else. They will brave all dangers for him, and will carry their I'ves in their hands for his sake. If Grant is not nominated (and I take it that if nominated he will be elected),

THE SOUTH WILL BE DEPOPULATED of its colored people. That race is aware of this, and will begin to leave if this conven-tion fails to put him at the head of the ticket.

CONVENTION NOTES.

The Hon. E. B. Washburne has telegraphed and unmistakable terms, the withdrawsl of

nation.

In a many section of the presidency.

Lynde Harrison, of Connecticut, says that in the delegation from that state is all split up.

There herman it was a nation.

On Thursday Medill telegraphed Richard an tele
Smith, of the Cincinnati Gazette, asking him Smith, of the Cincinnati Gazette, asking him and harbor appropriation bill. This was opposed by Mr. Morgan, who desired to take up his resolution in relation to counting the ture, or to some anti-Grant man in Chicago, to the effect that General Grant could not carry

Ohio in the event of his nomination. The deacon laconically replied: "I can't do it, for Grant can carry Ohio." "I can't do it, for Grant can carry Ohio."

Howard Carroll, correspondent of the New York Times, telegraphs that General Grant's friends are as confident as ever of his nomination. The least sanguine say he will, on the first ballot, certainly receive the votes of 350 delegates who will never desert him; that these 350 votes will be east for him ballot after ballot, until there is either a break in his favor or he receives scattering votes enough to secure his nomination. The more moderate of the opposition passagers are now ready to admit for his long-threatened interstate commerce on the legislative appropriation bill, and the sundry civil bill was received from the house and referred. The consideration of the river and harbor bill was continued till the hour of adjournment, quite a number of smeadments having been adopted.

The house dispensed with the morning hour, and after a long wrangle went into committee of the whole on the deficiency bill, allow-nomination. The more moderate of the opnomination. The more moderate of the op-position managers are now ready to admit the entire plausibility of the latter theory, and they even occasionally join in the prediction that Grant, or some man not yet prominently named, who will be selected by him, is cortain to secure the nomination. In the latter suggestion they seem to find much consolation. It is certainly the only way by which they can escape from the dilemma in which they have placed themselves by opposing General Grant.

The auti-Grant men held a meeting on Monday night upon the ball grounds. No one was admitted without a ticket. It is said by persons who ought to know, that many of those who presented tickets and were admit-ted were democrats. The contrast between the freedom of the Grant meeting and the exclusiveness of the other was very great. The Grantmen were not afraid to trust the people, and their trust was not misplaced. But the anti-Grant men were apparently sure that they could not secure a congenial audience except by picking out sympathizers and demo

Maine Democratic Convention.

t on the table until the nomination was mad After General Plaisted closed his remarks the convention voted to leave the election of residential electors in the hands of the demo cratic state committee, who are to act in con ference with the greenback state committee The convention then adjourned size die, with

South Carolina Democrats.

COLUMBIA, S. C., June 1:- The democratic state convention met in the house of repre-sentatives hall at noon, J. H. Rion was scattaryes half at hooh. J. H. Rion was elected temporary chairman. All the counties were represented. J. S. Cothran was elected permanent president by acclamation. A resolution was offered to go into the nomination of state officers, and that the campaign be not opened before the first week in September. Referred to the committee on resolutions. Also a resolution recommending the holding of another convention the 10th of August to nominate state officers and members of congress. Referred. Senators Hamp ton and Butler, Major T. G. Baker and Genera ohn Bratton were elected delegates from the state at large to the Cincinnati convention.

Maine Greenback Convention.

BANGOR, ME., June 1.—The greenback state onvention was called to order by E. H. Gove, who introduced as temporary chairman John B. Foster, of Bangor, who made a brief speech. Delegates to the greenback national conven-tion at Chicago were afterward elected; 667 delegates were reported as present. General Harris M. Pialsted, of this city, was nominated y acclamation for governor. The resolution

by acclamation for governor. The resolutions in substance were as follows:

"That all currency, whether metallic or paper, necessary for the use of the people should be issued and controlled by the government and not by the banking corporations.

"That the interest-bearing dals of the United States which shall become redeemable in the year 1881, or prior thereto, should be refunded beyond the power of the government o call in said obligations and pay them at an inc, but should be paid as rapidly as possible

and according to contract,
"The mints of the government should be perated to their full capacity in the coinage f standard silver dollars and such other coin the best interests of the country demand. "The civil service should be reformed so a

to abolish the evil of patronage.
"That imprisonment for debt be abolished."
The delegates to the Chleago convention
were instructed to influence the nomination of Solon Chase for president, The convention adjourned to 2:30, when Mr. Plaisted will address it.

A STRANGE ROBBERT.

caucus of the delegation, however, several yotes were taken which are considered somewhat indicative of the feeling of the delegation. A motion favoring the easing of the fine vote as a unit was carried with iwenty-one dissenting votes.

Pronunciamento by Pennsylvania Recreants.
Chricago, Jane L.—The following manifesto will be published here to-morrow morning: "We, the undersigned delegates to the mational convection from Pennsylvania, knowing that the sentiment of the republicans of said state is largely approximated for the published here to morrow morning: "Grant is not anomated, that necessity will are necessary will call forth a greater amount of hard work than in case of his being put up. The same fewer, and having the best interest of the republican party at the party of the local fight, he observed.

The best interest of the republicant of the party of the local fight, he observed. heart and desiring honestly to represent our constituents, hereby pledge ourselves to vote against his nomination: James Molkace, delegate-at-large; W.S. Droughs, first district of Philadelphia; William R. Lenis, second district; W. Eliwood Rowan, fourth district; Grant could not carry his own state. Two

Each House of Congress on Appropriation Bills.

The Exedus and Election Fraud Committees -More Silver to be Paid Out-Re-enforcements Ordered to General Hatch -Large Decrease in the l'ublie Debt-Neat Compliment of Flowers.

Congress Yesterday.

During the morning hour in the senate Mr. Vance, from the select committee on the exodus of colored people from the south, submitted a report from the democratic majority of the committee, which with the testimony

taken was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Windom announced that the minority would present their view hereafter.

Mr. Wallace submitted a resolution that the select committee to investigate alleged frauds in the late election be continued with leave to the select committee to investigate alleged frauds in the late election be continued with leave

his resolution in relation to counting the electoral vote.

The senate by a vote of 45 to 7 decided to

consider the river and harbor bill.

During the consideration of this bill the senate ordered a conference on the legislative

for his long-threatened interstate commerce

After debate the bill was read by section for amendments. When the paragraph was reached making appropriation for vaults for the storage of silver coin Mr. Bland offered an amendment substituting a clause that the money appropriated by the act should be paid in standard silver dollars.

Mr. Hayes offered an amendment to the amendment, providing that the salaries of members of congress be paid in standard silver dollars. Adopted.
Mr. Townshend moved a further amendment—that the salaries of all officers of the United

States be paid in silver dollars, Notice was given of further angendments providing for the payment of the interest and principal of the bonds of the United States in

silver coin. After a lively discussion of the silver question the committee rose, with Mr. Townshend's amendment pending, and the

The president sent the following nominations to the senate yesterday:

Mortimer M. Jackson, now consul at Halifax, to be consul-general at that place; Lucio Tewksbury, of California, to be United States consul at San Salvador; Robert S. Gardner, of West Virginia, to be Indian inspector; Abraham Veece, to be postmaster at Santa Rosa. Cal.; Mrs. Cornella Hoyt, i.e. b.

Navy pension lund	14,000,000 00
Total	\$1,783,698,400 00 18,994,187 41
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity	8,131,905 20 830,656 78
Debt bearing no interest: Old demand and legal-tender notes. Certificates of deposit. Fractional currency. Gold and silver certificates	846,742,046 00 12,815,000 00 15,500,004 87 20,271,870 00
Total	335,421,350 87
Unclaimed Pacific railroad interest.	7,777 (4)
Total debtInterest	2,139,257,715 63 19,742,521 19
Total debt, principal and interest.	2,159,000,236 82
Total cash in the Treasury	200,613,516 97
Debt, legs cash In the Treasury June 1, 1881	1,962,386,710 85 1,968,814,763 72
Decrease of debt during month	15,928,033 87
Decrease debtsince June 30, 1870	74,820,550 50
Current Liabilities: Interest due and unpaid. Debton which interest has ceased. Interest thereout.	2,850,783 00 8,104,965 20 8,104,56 20

12,815,000 00 161,667,809 9

Treasury Disbursements in May, The payments made from the treasury by carrants during the mouth of May were a

Civil and miscellaneous... \$3,622,894.4 War. 1,908,012.1 Navy 1,006,431.2 Interior, Indiana 199,546.7 pensions 411,050

on account of the interest or principal of the public debt of the United States.

Coinnge in May. The following is a statement of the coinage executed at the United States mints during the month of May, 1880: Total...... \$0,729,945

The New Road to Annapolis. A STRANGE ROBBERE.

The New Boad to Annapolis.

The board of public works of Maryland have agreed to sell the state's interest in the Annapolis & Elkridgs railroad to the Drum Point railroad company for \$50,000, provided the latter secure the countries of the bends robbery occurred near Clear lake, Collin county. A farmer named Budley left \$300 received for cattle with his wife for safe-keeping. A stranger asking to stay all night was

> Colouel N. G. Ordway having received his commission as governor of Dakota, ich last evening for his home in New Humpshire, where he will spend a week or ten days in closing up some business matters, to go out to Dakota about the middle of June.

Governor Ordway's Movements.

A TRIBUTE OF FLOWERS.

Grateful Employes of the Government

Bindery,
The ladies of the bindery of the government printing office, appreciating the kindness of Broad Representative Valentine and Secutor Whyte boon.

CURRENT CAPITAL TOPICS. in engineering through congress the joint resolution providing for the pay of govern-ment printing office employes on decoration day, raised by subscription a find with day, raised by subscription a land who which yesterday two handsome baskets of flowers were purchased. Dr. Thomas and Messra. Linker and Espey were commissioned to deliver the baskets to the gentlemen named. This duty they did yesterday, the baskets being deposited on the desket for the recommendation and season to the terday, the baskets being deposited on the desks of the representative and senator at the capitol. Senator Whyte, upon meeting the committee, acknowledged the compliment in a neat speech, saying that he had been convinced of the justice of the demands of the government printing office employes to be placed on equal terms with other. of the government printing office employes to be placed on equal terms with other government employes on decoration day and sauring the committee that on any other similar occasion he would be equally ready to render such assistance as he could. Repre-sentative Valentine, in thanking the ladies through the committee, remarked that he was an old printer himself, and he had a follow-feeling for the employes of the government office. He appreciated the compliment paid office. He appreciated the compliment paid him, and would always feel in duty bound to

The cadets at the naval neademy have formed boat club, and will race a Philadelphia crow

on the 19th instant.

The neveiling of the statue to Maryland soldiers buried at Winchester will take place in that city on the 5th of June.

Near Texas, Baltimore county, Thursday Mrs. Mary Carlan poured kerosene on a slow

Messrs. A. M. Rush and James Willison, of

Saturday by canal for Georgetown, D. C., carrying 5,137 tons of coal. It was the heaviest day's shipment this season.

William J. Aydelette, a well-known citizen of Pecomoke City, is being tried at Snow Hill charged with making an indecent assault on Mrs. Sarah E. Polk in November last.

Sidney Shores, who married his thirteen-year-old step-daughter, and was subsequently cuvicted of that offense, escaped from the ounty jail at Princess Anne last week.

over \$100,000.

"Mountain View," the homestead of the late An Actress' Semi-Centennial Anniversary, Jourdan M. Saunders, was sold last week to Mr. J. Singleherst, of England, for \$2,100 cash.

The drought in Norfolk county has entirely of Music to-night, intended to commemorate

Mr. M. F. Maury, sou of the late Commodore Maury, will take charge of the Salisbury furnace, which is to be put into operation at

an early day. The sales of tobacco at Lynchburg last Sat-

The prespects are that the railroad from Charlottesville to Orange Court-house, an ex-tension of the Virginia Midland railroad, will

On Saturday last, Mackall, aged about ten cears, son of Mr. B. A. Triplett, at Delaplane, Fauquier county, was severely cut in the fleshy part of the arm by a colored boy, On Bush creek, in Floyd county, gold has

ANNIVERSARY MEETINGS.

American Medical Association New York, June 1 .- Nearly 1,000 delegates representing every state in the union, assem-bled at Association hall this morning on the occasion of the opening of the thirty-first an-nual meeting of the Medical association. The proceedings opened with prayer, after which an address of welcome was made by Dr. T. Gaillard Thomas. Roll was called, and then

states in the union, also from England, Australia and Canada, were elected members.

Among the papers read this afternoon were the following: On "Therapeutics of Natural Waters," by Dr. W. C. Bibber, of Baltimore, Md.; "Case of Recovery from Occlusions of One or More of the Cerebral Sinuses," by Dr. M. O'Hara, of Philadelphia, Pa; "Progressive Muscular Atrophy and Pseudo Hypertrophy," by Drs. J. N. Kerlin and Clark Mills, of Philadelphia, Pa; "Sainal Extension," by Bendelphia, Pa; office. He appreciated the compliment paid him, and would always feel in duty bound to render assistance to those who were oppressed.

MARYLAND NEWS.

The Marlboro Primes Georgian is offered for sale.

The annual ball at the naval academy takes place on the 16th instant.

The cadets at the maval cademy have formed about this role will recease the place of the Larynx in Palmonary Pathisia," by Carl Ziler, M. D., of Philadelphia.

It the evening the association was tendered.

In the evening the association was tendered a reception at the academy of music by resident physicians and other citizens of New York, and a collation was given them. A select programme of music was rendered by the or-

Methodist Episcopal Conference. Perrenung, Jane 1 .- In the general confer The tunnel on the Somerset & Cambria rall-road will be completed next November. It will be 270 feet long, 18 feet high and 18 feet tached to contiguous conferences to attach against thereto. The report was adopted, and the pounds Cumberland, with the help of Elijah Friend eaught 236 trout out of the Youghlogheny river in two days.

Forty-six boats cleared from Cumberland Saturday by canal for Georgetown, D. C., carry-

THE PRIZE RING. Goss Defeated by Ryan in Eighty-five

Rounds,
Collins's Station, W. Va., June 1.—The
Goss-Ryan prize fight took place here this
morning, and resulted in the defeat of Goss after a fight of eighty-five rounds in one hou and twenty-eight minutes. The ring for the fight between Goss and Ryan for the heavy-Eastern shore papers report the crop pros-beets there very good, having been greatly at 4:25 in a ravine near this place, about 300 benefited by the rain last week. In western yards from the Penusylvania boundary line. benefited by the rain last week. In western Maryland injury to the hay crop only is feared.

Rev. L. T. Widerman, presiding elder of the Cumberland district Baltimore conference, methodist episcopal church, has called a convention of the ministers of his district to meet in Cumberland June 21.

The statistics of the reformed classis of Maryland show that there are 27 ministers age of Goss would probably have lasted still great the Penusylvania boundary line. Some 390 persons were present, Pittsburg being well represented, with a slight sprink-ling from New York city and Troy. Ryan weighted 190 pounds and Goss 165. Both men appeared in fine condition. The fight began at 615 o'clock. Ryan entered the ring first and was followed shortly after by Goss. Schell Fairchild was closen referce. The fight was closely contested, and but for the age of Goss would probably have lasted still age of Goss would probably have lasted still longer. In the eighty-fifth round Goss' sec-onds claimed a foul, and it not being allowed refused to fight their man any longer, and the referee awarded the fight to Ryan. The int-ter was terribly punished about the face and TIRGINIA NEWS.

body, but held out. Goss was not apparently much cut or disfigured, but became winded. Goss' failure to win the match was evidently due to his age. It is doubtful if he ever en-

ters the ring again.

Mr. J. Singleherst, of England, for \$2,100 cash.

The drought in Norfolk county has entirely destroyed the hay crop. The Irish potatoes, cabbage and other vegetables are greatly injured.

The terrible drought to which the section of Norfolk has been subjected for the last forty days has kindled anew the fires in the Dismal swamp.

Mr. M. F. Maury, son of the late Commoward of Music to-night, intended to commomente the fiftieth year upon the stage, was in every fer distribute to this favorite of her fiftieth year upon the stage, was in every of the fiftieth year upon the stage.

The New Orleans Arson Cases.

NEW ORLHAMS, June 1 .- In the case of John-The sales of tobacce at Lynchburg last Saturday were quite large. The recent rains have been favorable for handling the weed and large quantities are expected in for some time to come.

The prospects are that the railroad from American ship Hectanoogs, January 31. John-son was brought before the recorder and re-manded without ball until June 10, when the examination takes place. This action pre-vents Johnson's release until after the trial of the Iron-Cross arson case.

The Christiancy Divorce Suit.

On Bash creek, in Floyd county, gold has been discovered in paying quantities, and is creating much excitement. Minors from New Mexico, California and Australia are there at work.

Thomas Webb has been discharged from the penitentiary. He was imprisoned for shooting his brother, General Webb. General Webb was lung for murder about three months ago. He was also in the penitentiary at one time for shooting.

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The christianey Divorce Suit. the was also in the peniteutiary at one time for shooting.

A colored man named Tom Wood, from Albemarke county, a laborer on the Sienandoah Valley railroad, was shot and killed at Honey ville, Pago county, on last Thursday night by same person unknown. The shooting is thought to have been accidental.

The gillers who were arrested at Stony point same two weeks ago, charged with fishing in the berth of William Knight, and who have been in Fairfax county jail since, have been released on bail for their appearance before Judge Sangster in chambers next Thursday.

The Fineastle Herald says colored jurors served in two cases at the late term of the county court, the juries in case being mixed. The colored jurors presented a novel sight, and were, in their new relation, subjected to considerable comment, though not of a harsh nature.

At a meeting of the railroad directory in Danville last week the new route cunning near Cascade was adopted as the permanent contion of the road in that section, on condition that the citizens of Cascade and others living along the route named should raise \$5,000. Vigorous efforts are being made to see \$5,000. Vigorous efforts are \$5,000. Vigorous efforts

THE OLD WORLD'S NEWS.

Ex-Empress Eugenie at the Grave of Her Son.

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The Bereaved Eugenie. CAPE Town, June 1.—Ex-Empress Engente prived on the 23th of May at Stoxosi, Zulu-and, near the spot where the prince imperial

The Burmah fusurrection.

LONDON, June 1 .- A Calcutta dispatch to Reuter's telegram company says intelligence from Burmah states that the number of the insurgents is increasing and the movement has now extended to Mandalay.

Prospective French Duel, Pants, June 1.—M. Henri Rochefort has accepted the challenge of M. Konchlin, brother-in-law of Prefect of Police Andrieux, to a hostile meeting, and has named M. M. Zochroy and Clemenceau as his seconds.

The International Polar Expedition.

LONDON, June 1.—The British foreign office has lately had under consideration a proposal laid before it that England should co-operate in the proposed international polar expedition, but no promise of support has been made by the government.

The Ascot Races To-day. LONDON, June 1.—The weights have been published for the starters in the race for the Royal Hant cup, which will take place at Ascot heath on Wednesday, the 9th inst. Mr. P. Lorillard's Parole will carry 126 pounds, against Lord Hastings' Master Hildare, 133

De Lesseps Confident of Success. De Lesseps Confident of Success.

LONDON, June I.—M. de Lesseps in his speech before the Liverpool chamber of commerce yesterday expressed himself as being very confident in the success of the Panama canal enterprise. He said he preposed to offer to the British public £166,000 worth of shares of the stock, but did not care whether they were taken or not, as he could get plenty of funds; that he was not asking for money, but offering it. His speech was much ap-

Turkey's Defensive Plen.

LONDON, June 1.—A Constantinople dis-patch to the Times says: The Turkish cabi-net has resolved to reply somewhat as follows to the summons demanding the complete ex-cution of the treaty of Berlin, which it shortly expects to receive from the powers: That the porte has loyally executed its engagements in regard to the Montenegrin question, and has asked the powers to appoint a commission of inquiry theren; that in regard to the Greek frontier question the conciliatory disposition of the porte has been met by inordinate and inadmissible demands on the part of Greece, and that in regard to reforms for the European provinces the porte has drawn up regulations, which will be submitted according to the treaty to the eastern Rounelian commission.

Pacific Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1 .- The following were the official closing quotations of mining stocks to-day: Alpha, 67; Alta, 27; Argenta, 7-16; Beicher, S. Best & Beicher, 101; Bullion, S. Rodie, S. Beston Consolidated, 12; Bullwer, 52; Black Hawk, 21-32; Belvidere, 21; California, 21; Choliar, 32; Consolidated Virginia, 32; The Baptist General association of Virginia will assemble in annual session in Petersburg to-day.

Three-fourths of the line of the Chesapeak & Ohio railroad is now supplied with steel rails.

Returns show that Powlatan county has veed a \$48,000 subscription to the proposed Richmond & Southwestern railroad.

The wife of Mr. George W. Mitchell, the proprietor of the Buffalo Ridge springs, in Nelson sounds. Richmond & Southwestern railroad.

The wife of Mr. George W. Mitchell, the proprietor of the Buffalo Ridge springs, in Nelson county, died on last Tuesday.

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"Seller 10 days. Chester Park Races.

CINCINNATI, June 1 .- This was the first day

Cheinnart, June 1.—Into was the first day of the spring meeting of the Queen City Jockey club at Chester park. There was a light rain all day, and the track was heavy.

The first race, a dash of one mile, was won by Jin Malone, with Virgil Lear second and Typhoon third. Time, 1:52.

The second race was a dash of one mile and that Autority was a-half. Aurora's Baby, the favorite, was drawn. The race was won by Mary Anderson, with Brooklyn second and Pat Farrell third.

Cime, 2:511. The third race, mile heats, for all ages, resulted as follows: Miss Harrisway, 1, 2, 2; Little Reb, 3, 1, 1; Sistova, 2, 3, 9; Jim Fay,

distanced. Time, 1:52, 1:53, 1:571.

The Atlanta Military Reunion ATLANTA, GA., June I.—Preparations are being made here to receive the Seventh regiment of New York and other organizations, next October. The citizen soldiery from the southern cities will be here to meet the northern organizations, and lay the corner stone of the Memorial armory, to be exceeded by the Gate City guards of Atlanta, to commenorate the remnient of the states and return of peace. The friendly meeting of the northern and southern soldiers on the battle-fields of Atand a will be the first and most important event of the kind that ever occurred in the south. Transportation for the soldiers and citizens from all parts of the country is be-

Progress of the Southern Pacific Railroad. Special Disputer to The Navional Resources. I End of Track, S. P. R. H., } Eighteen hundred fact of track hald gester-ay. J. H. Sunonnings,

Chief of Construction. An Arkansas Riot. LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 1.—Governor Mil-ler received a dispatch from Texarkana yester-day advising him that a mob had attempted

to take from jull and lynch a negro arrested for attempted raps. The friends of Cromwell, the prisoner, fired upon the mob. The fice was returned, and eight persons are reported

BOSTON, June 1.—Bostons, 5; Chicagos, 4. ALBANY, June 1.—Buffalos, 5; Albanys, 4. PROVIDENCE, R. L. June 1 .- Clevelands, 8;

Womenster, Mass., June 1.-Worcesters, 13;

Iting along the route named should raise \$5,000. Vigorous efforts are being made to secure this amount at once.

Colla McCraw, colored, convicted at the last term of the county court of Halfax of infinite de, has applied to Judge Welfford for a writ of habons corpus. The grounds are illegality of conviction, in this That the judge win then presided was not legally elected, and that Hon. William Barkshale was then, and is now, the judge of the said court, and that all the proceedings, indictanual, pleading, pand, conviction and sentence, are null and void.

New York Mining Stock Exchange.

New York June I.—The new American mining stock exchange, located at No. 63 Bradway, was formally equal to pend this after hoom.